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TO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: SITUATION IN VIENTIANE

BESIDES YOUR CALL ON SOUVANNA PHOUMA, WE BELIEVE THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR YOU TO CONTINUE YOUR MEETINGS WITH VIENTIANE-SIDE LEADERS, WITH THE PARTICULAR PURPOSE OF KEEPING THEM ON THE JOB. WE BELIEVE YOU SHOULD POINT OUT TO THESE MEN THAT TO CUT AND RUN WILL SERVE NEITHER THEIR OWN PURPOSES NOR THOSE OF LAOS. IN OUR VIEW THEY SHOULD

CONTINUE TO WORK TO SHORE UP THE POSITIVE FUNCTIONING OF THE PGNU UNDER SOUVANNA'S LEADERSHIP AND THE MAINTENANCE OF LAOS AS A FREE, INDEPENDENT AND NEUTRAL STATE. THEIR STRONG ADVANCEMENT OF THEIR POSITION WILL HELP TO COUNTER GROWING PATHET LAO INFLUENCE ON SOUVANNA. KISSINGER

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